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DOCTOR WHO: OPENING TITLES FILM MOF

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MIX TO:

REPRISE

SEA BASE FOUR: AIRLOCK ONE

(THE DOCTOR AND TURLOUGH ARE TRYING TO LIFT THE DOOR OFF TEGAN'S FOOT)

TURLOUGH: It's no good, we can't lift it.

(THE MYRKA EDGES SLOWLY FORWARD)

(ONE OF THE GUARDS
GETS TOO CLOSE TO
THE MYRKA AND IS STRUCK
DOWN, HIS BODY FIZZING
WITH ELECTRICAL DISCHARGE.

THE GUARD'S DROPPED WEAPON
SLITHERS ACROSS TO THE
DOCTOR AND TURLOUGH WHO
ARE STILL TRYING
TO FREE TEGAN)

THE DOCTOR: Bulic, get your people out of here.

BULIC: Clear the airlock.

(STILL FIRING THE
CREW MEMBERS RETREAT)

THE DOCTOR: You too, Turlough.

TURLOUGH: But Tegan.

THE DOCTOR: Get out.

(TURLOUGH MOVES AWAY)

TEGAN: You go as well Doctor.

THE DOCTOR: No, I'n not leaving you.

(HE CONTINUES TO
LIFT WHILE TEGAN
STRUGGLES TO PULL HER
FOOT FREE)

TEGAN: There's no point in us both dying.

THE DOCTOR: Who's talking about dying.

INT. SEA BASE FOUR. CORRIDOR AIRLOCK ONE.

(BULIC'S MEN FIRING BACK THROUGH THE BULKHEAD AT THE MYRKA.

A CREW MEMBER GIVES TURLOUGH A SPARE RIFLE.

BULIC SPEAKS INTO HIS RADIO URGENTLY)

BULIC: The creature's in, sir. And our weapons are useless against it.

VORSHAK'S VOICE: Use grenades.

BULIC: The Doctor and the girl are trapped in the airlock.

VORSHAK'S VOICE: Has the creature passed the bulkhead door?

BULIC: No, sir.

VORSHAK'S VOICE: Then close it! Seal the bulkhead off immediately.

TURLOUGH: (REACTS) No.

What do you mean no !
VORSHAK'S VOICE: Do it.
The safety of the base
depends on it.

(BULIC SHRUGS
AT TURLOUGH AND
MOVES TO PRESS
SWITCHES.

TURLOUGH DIVES
AT HIM AND PUSHES
HIM AWAY)

TURLOUGH: No ... wait!

(A COMBAT MARINE
LUNGES AND KNOCKS
TURLOUGH FLYING.

IN AN INSTANT
BULIC HAS PRESSED
SWITCHES AND THE
MASSIVE BULKHEAD
DOOR BEGINS TO
CLOSE AS THE
MYRKA APPROACHES)

INT. SEA BASE. AIRLOCK ONE.

(THE DOCTOR GLANCES OVER HIS SHOULDER AND SEES THE BULK-HEAD DOOR CLOSING)

THE DOCTOR: (MUSTERING ALL HIS STRENGTH) One last go.

(HE HEAVES AND TEGAN PULLS HER FOOT FREE AND SCRAMBLES TO HER FEET.

THE DOCTOR SNATCHES UP THE DROPPED WEAPON AS THE BULKHEAD DOOR CLANGS SHUT)

TEGAN: They've sealed us up!

THE DOCTOR: Brave heart, Tegan.

(THEY BACK TOWARDS THE BULKHEAD DOOR AS HE MYRKA STEPS ONTO THE FALLEN AIRLOCK DOOR)

TEGAN: (ON THE VERGE OF PANIC) Brave heart? That thing is going to kill us!

(END OF REPRISE)

1. INT. SEA BASE FOUR. CORRIDOR. AIRLOCK ONE.

(TURLOUGH LEVELS
HIS WEAPON AT BULIC)

TURLOUGH: Open it.

BULIC: The controls are locked. Now it can only be opened by the Bridge.

(TURLOUGH IS MAD ENOUGH
TO FIRE BUT RESTRAINS
HIMSELF AND RUSHES
OFF)

BULIC: Let him go. Stay on guard, sergeant. I must see the Commander.

GUARD: Yes sir.

BULIC: The rest of you, follow me.

2. INT. SEA BASE.AIRLOCK ONE.

(THE DOCTOR AND
TEGAN BACKING UP
TOWARDS THE AIRLOCK.

THE MYRKA, SOME
DISTANCE AWAY BEGINS
TO MOVE TOWARDS
THEM.

THE DOCTOR LOOKS
DOWN AT THE WEAPON
HE IS HOLDING)

TEGAN: That won't do much good!

(TEGAN AND THE
DOCTOR MOVE BACK
TO A LAST FEW
PACES AND FIND
THEIR BACKS PRESSED
UP AGAINST THE
MUTILATED AIRLOCK DOOR.

THE DOCTOR FIDDLING
WITH THE MAGAZINE
CELL OF THE WEAPON,
WATCHING THE MYRKA
MEANWHILE)

THE DOCTOR: (TENSE) Get ready.(cont...)

(THE MYRKA PREPARES
TO LAUNCH ITSELF AT
TEGAN AND THE
DOCTOR.

ABOUT TO SPRING FORWARD
WHEN THE DOCTOR
SUDDENLY TOSSES THE
WEAPON)

THE DOCTOR: (cont) Mind your eyes Tegan!

(THE MAGAZINE EXPLODES
ON CONTACT IN A
SEARING, VIVID
FLASH.

THE MYRKA REELS
BACK BLINDED BY
THE INTENSE LIGHT.

THE DOCTOR TURNS
SWIFTLY AND EXAMINES
THE BULKHEAD LOCKS)

TEGAN: What did you do to it?

THE DOCTOR: [illegible]. The charge from the Myrka's body blew up the magazine [illegible].

TEGAN: He's blinded.

THE DOCTOR: Simple - the charge from the Myrka's body blew up the magazine.

TEGAN: It's blinded.

THE DOCTOR: Temporarily.

3. INT. SEA BASE FOUR. CORRIDOR.

(TURLOUGH ROUNDING
A CORNER RUNS UP
TOWARDS THE BRIDGE
COMPLEX.

NEAR THE ENTRANCE,
HE PAUSES TO CHECK
HIS WEAPON AND
BURSTS IN)

4. INT. SEA BASE FOUR. BRIDGE COMPLEX.

(NILSON NEAR THE
CONSOLE WHIRLS
TO SEE TURLOUGH,
OUT OF BREATH,
IN THE DOORWAY.

COMBAT MARINE ON
DUTY GOES TO MOVE
BUT TURLOUGH'S
WEAPON SWINGS TO
COVER HIM)

TURLOUGH: (BREATHLESS) The master control to bulkhead One. Where is it?

NILSON: The Commander's orders were to keep that bulkhead closed.

TURLOUGH: (TENSE) I know what orders were. Now I'm giving you mine. (RAISES WEAPON) Open that bulkhead!

5. INT. SEA BASE. AIRLOCK ONE.

(THE MYRKA, RECOVERING FROM HIS TEMPORARY BLINDNESS, STARTS TO ADVANCE.

THE DOCTOR AND TEGAN COWER BACK, NO ESCAPE.

THE CREATURE GROWLS, IS ABOUT TO LASH OUT WHEN A SUDDEN HISSING NOISE AND THE BULKHEAD STEEL MOVES APART.

IN A FLASH TEGAN AND THE DOCTOR HAVE DIVED THROUGH INTO THE CORRIDOR INSIDE.

THE COMBAT MARINE ON DUTY MOVES FORWARD INTO THE ENTRANCE, PREPARING TO FIRE.

THEY MYRKA STRIKES OUT AT HIM AND THE GUARD IS ELECTROCUTED.

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THE DOOR STARTS TO CLOSE.

THE MYRKA GRABS THE EDGE AND STRAINS TRYING TO FORCE IT BACK.

A HYDRAULIC PRESSURE NOISE OF PROTEST AS THE DOOR COMES TO A STOP, LEAVING A NARROW GAP.

THE MYRKA STRAINS TRYING TO FORCE THE GAP WIDER.

6. INT. SEA BASE FOUR. BRIDGE COMPLEX.

(AS BEFORE,
NILSON REACTING
TO A LIGHT
FLASHING ON THE
CONSOLE)

NILSON: The hydraulic valves have blown.

TURLOUGH: The bulkhead opened?

NILSON: Yes. But I'm not so sure it closed.

(TURLOUGH EXITS AT
SPEED FROM THE
BRIDGE)

7. INT. SEA BASE FOUR. CORRIDOR.

(THE DOCTOR AND A LIMPING TEGAN MOVING ALONG.

BASE PERSONNEL PASS ON URGENT BUSINESS)

TEGAN: What'll you do if the Myrka breaks in?

THE DOCTOR: Hopefully we can stop it before it does too much damage.

TEGAN: (STOPS) You said yourself the creature is practically indestructible.

THE DOCTOR: We all have our achilles heel. Including the Myrka. We must hurry. I must speak to Vorshak.

8. INT. SEA BASE FOUR. BRIDGE COMPLEX.

(SOLOW ENTERS AND
CROSSES TO NILSON)

SOLOW: Nilson, I have hidden the woman's body. And the escape pod is ready for us. We can leave as soon as Maddox has completed his work.

NILSON: Good.

9. INT. SEA BASE FOUR. CORRIDOR

(BASE PERSONNEL RUNNING
DOWN THE CORRIDOR IN PANIC
AWAY FROM THE APPROACHING
MYRKA.

A BEAT AS THE MYRKA
ROUNDS THE CORNER.

THE PERSONNEL FLATTEN
THEMSELVES AGAINST
THE WALL OF THE
CORRIDOR
COWERING IN FEAR,
AS THE MYRKA LASHES
ITS TAIL SENDING
A SHOWER OF
ELECTRICITY AT THE
PERSONNEL.

SCREAMING AND SHOUTING
FROM THEM AS THEY
FALL TO THE GROUND)

9a. INT. SILURIAN SHIP. MAIN AREA

(ICTAHAR WITH THE
TWO COMPANIONS)

SCIBUS: The Myrka has broken through the bulkhead door.

ICTHAR: Command it to make for its objective. Inform Sauvix. It is imperative he gains entry without delay. Is the Manipulator ready Tarpok ?

TARPØK (MOVING ACROSS) Yes, it is fully charged.

ICTHAR: Then we must prepare to join our troop on the Sea Base. Inform Sauvix we are coming.

10. INT. SEA BASE FOUR. AIRLOCK FIVE. CORRIDOR.

(VORSHAK, BULIC, PRESTON AND THE COMBAT MARINES AT BATTLE STATIONS.

A BLEEP FROM VORSHAK'S COMMUNICATOR)

VORSHAK: Vorshak.

NILSON'S VOICE: The creature has broken into the base. Turlough, forced us to open the bulkhead door.

(REACTIONS)

VORSHAK: Sound the alert. I want all non-essential personnel into the bunkers.

(PUTS COMMUNICATOR AWAY)

(TO BULIC) Get your best people Airlock One immediately. They must stop that creature.

BULIC: Our weapons have no effect on it.

VORSHAK: Have them try!

THE DOCTOR: (OOV) He's right, Commander. Your weapons are useless against it.

(VORSHAK WHIRLS)

VORSHAK: But not against you. You know what Turlough has done?

TEGAN: He saved our lives.

VORSHAK: I ordered that Bulkhead to be kept closed!

THE DOCTOR: The bulkhead wouldn't have kept the Myrka out for long.

PRESTON: Commander. The seals are about to blow.

THE DOCTOR: If it's any consolation, I just may know how to stop it.

VORSHAK If I want your help I'll ask for it.

(VORSHAK LOOKS AT THE AIRLOCK SEALS.

THEY ARE WREATHED IN WISPING SMOKE)

THE DOCTOR: You've got nothing to lose.

VORSHAK: I should have you shot.

THE DOCTOR: After I've dealt with the Myrka...

VORSHAK: All right. But I can't spare you any men.

THE DOCTOR: I need just one person. Someone in authority who can get things done.

VORSHAK: Preston go with him.

PRESTON: Sir.

VORSHAK: Kill him if he gives you any trouble. And that's an order. The rest of you...get ready! (cont...)

(BULIC AND THE OTHERS TAKE COVER IN THE RECESSES, TRAINING THEIR WEAPONS ON THE AIRLOCK DOOR.

THE DOCTOR'S GROUP HAVE JUST GONE WHEN A HISSING SCREECH HEARD FROM THE AIRLOCK AND THE DOOR OPENS.

SAUVIX AND THE SEA DEVIL WARRIORS ENTER.

IMMEDIATELY THEY GET THE UPPER HAND.

THEIR ARMOURED JERKINS ABSORBING MOST OF THE SEA BASE FIRE AND MAKING THEM ALMOST INVULERABLE.

ONLY A DIRECT HIT IN UNPROTECTED AREAS OF THEIR BODIES AFFECTS THEM)

Back ... get back.

(THEY BEGIN TO RETREAT)

11. INT. SEA BASE FOUR. CORRIDOR.

(TURLOUGH RUNNING
WHEN HE HEARS
THE DISTANT SOUND
OF THE BATTLE.

HE HURRIES ON)

12. INT. SEA BASE FOUR. AIRLOCK FIVE CORRIDOR.

(THE BATTLE IN PROGRESS.

COVERED BY FIRE, BULIC RETREATS.

INSTANTLY THE BULKHEAD STEEL SLIDES TO SEALING IN THE WARRIORS)

BULIC: They've got us outgunned, Commander.

VORSHAK: I know. It all [illegible] depends now on whether that bulkhead can hold them.

13. INT. SEA BASE FOUR. AIRLOCK FIVE.

(SAUVIX AND THE
WARRIORS.

TWO SEA DEVIL WARRIORS
MOVE UP TO THE
BULKHEAD CARRYING THE
BULBOUS NOSED
DEVICES.

THEY TRAIN [illegible]IT[illegible]
ON THE SEALS AND
SWITCH ON

14. INT. SEA BASE FOUR. AIRLOCK FIVE CORRIDOR.

(TURLOUGH COMES RUNNING UP TO WHERE VORSHAK, BULIC AND THE COMBAT MARINES ARE ON STATION OUTSIDE THE BULKHEAD)

TURLOUGH: (OUT OF BREATH) The Doctor and Tegan...?

VORSHAK: Safe. And now contributing to the defence of the base... as you are.

TURLOUGH: Sorry?

VORSHAK: You're volunteering your services to defend this bulkhead.

(TURLOUGH IS HORRIFIED)

15. INT. SEA BASE FOUR. CORRIDOR.

(THE MYRKA ENTERS
THE CORRIDOR.

AHEAD TWO COMBAT
MARINES OPEN FIRE.

THE FIRST MARINE
PAUSES TO TAKE
OUT HIS COMMUNICATOR)

16. INT. BASE FOUR. CORRIDOR.

(PRESTON'S COMMUNICATOR BUZZES)

PRESTON: Preston.

FIRST MARINE'S VOICE: The Myrka is in Corridor Seven.

PRESTON: Delay it's progress as much as possible.

FIRST MARINE'S VOICE We'll do our best.

THE DOCTOR:It can only be making for one place.

TEGAN: The Bridge ?

DOCTOR: Yes, the Bridge.
PRESTON: I'll inform the Commander.

THE DOCTOR: (TO PRESTON) You have ultra violet convertors on the base?

PRESTON: Yes.

THE DOCTOR: Good. Now will the Myrka have to pass here to get to the bridge?

THE DOCTOR: Perfect. I'll need a convertor brought here.

PRESTON:(INTO HER COMMUNICATOR) Tech unit.

17. INT. SEA BASE FOUR. AIR LOCK FIVE. CORRIDOR.

(SMOKE WISPING AWAY FROM THE SEALS AS THEY CARBONISE.

VORSHAK, BULIC AND COMBAT MARINES WATCHING)

BULIC: It's not going to hold

VORSHAK: We must break radio silence

BULIC: And have every listening post pinpoint our position.

VORSHAK: It seems that either way we lose. Our people must know the base may fall into these creatures hands.

18. INT. SEA BASE. AIRLOCK FIVE.

(SAUVIX AND THE
WARRIORS.

THE TWO SEA DEVILS
TRAINING THE
BULBOUS
NOSED DEVICES ON
THE BULKHEAD SEALS
WHICH ARE IN ADVANCED
DECAY)

19. INT. SEA BASE FOUR. CORRIDOR.

(TWO MARINES ARRIVE CARRYING THE BULKY ULTRA VIOLET CONVERTOR AND HEAVY DUTY EXTENSION CABLES)

THE DOCTOR: Set it up here.

PRESTON: That will be all. Carry on.

THE DOCTOR: Now, what do you think ? Will the lighting circuit bear maximum convertor load ?

PRESTON: Just about.

(THE DOCTOR SETS TO WORK CONNECTING UP THE CONVERTOR)

TEGAN: What have you got in mind?

THE DOCTOR: [illegible] planning to bring a little sunshine into the Myrka's life.

(A LOOK FROM TEGAN)

20. INT. SEA BASE FOUR. BRIDGE. COMPLEX.

(NILSON AT THE
CONSOLE, SOLOW
WATCHING)

BULIC'S VOICE: The Commander is on his way up to signal Sea Base Command. . Have Maddox stand by for synch up.

(A LOOK BETWEEN
NILSON AND SOLOW)

NILSON: Understood.

(TURNS AWAY TO
STARE AT SOLOW.

THINKING)

SOLOW: What are you going to do now ?

NILSON: (HARD) Maddox must finish what he's started.

(THEY CROSS TO THE
COMPUTER BAY
DOOR)

21. INT SEA BASE FOUR. CORRIDOR

(THE DOCTOR, TEGAN
AND PRESTON.

THE DOCTOR IS
WORKING AT THE CONVERTOR)

PRESTON: I suppose you know what you're doing ?

THE DOCTOR: The Myrka is a creatur of the inkiest depths. Or was until the Silurians tinkered with its biology. Anyway, it has little tolerance to light and hopefully none at all to ultra violet rays.

TEGAN: Can you be so sure ?

THE DOCTOR: No Tegan. Perhaps you should ask it nicely to go away.

22. INT. SEA BASE FOUR. CORRIDOR.

(THE COMBAT MARINES
FIRE AND RETREAT.

RELENTLESSLY,
THE MYRKA MOVES
FORWARD)

23. INT. SEA BASE FOUR. COMPUTER BANK BAY.

(SOLOW AND NILSON
WATCH MADDOX
FRANTICALLY AT
WORK)

NILSON: The work goes well. Wait in the escape probe and I'll join you when I can.

(SOLOW HOLDS UP
TAPE)

SOLOW: What about Maddox's conditioning tape.

NILSON: Take it with you. It will provide essential knowledge.

SOLOW: Good luck.

(THEY SHAKE HANDS,
THEN SOLOW EXITS)

24. INT. SEA BASE FOUR. CORRIDOR.

(THE DOCTOR PUTS
THE FINISHING
TOUCH TO THE CONVERTOR)

PRESTON: Ready?

(THE DOCTOR NODS)

TEGAN: Ready now ?

THE DOCTOR:Almost.

25. INT. SEA BASE FOUR. CORRIDOR.

(FURTHER ALONG SOLOW ENTERS AND REACTS TO THE SIGHT OF THE DOCTOR'S GROUP CROUCHED BY THE CONVERTOR.

HE MOVES UP AND PAUSES.

PRESTON TURNS AND SEES HIM)

PRESTON: Doctor Solow!

(HE IGNORES HER AND CARRIES ON.

THE DOCTOR PREOCCUPIED WITH HIS WORK, PRESSES A SWITCH ON THE CONVERTOR AND A SECTION OF THE CORRIDOR IS ILLUMINATED WITH SEARING ULTRA VIOLET LIGHT.

THE DOCTOR: Look.

ALL AVERT THEIR EYES.

THE DOCTOR SWITCHES IT OFF, LEAVING THE CORRIDOR BATHED IN EERIE HALF LIGHT)

THE DOCTOR: Perfect.... Almost...

26. INT. SEA BASE FOUR. CORRIDOR. INTERSECTION.

(SOLOW ON THE MOVE.

AHEAD OF HER.
THERE IS GUNFIRE.

SOLOW PRESSES
HERSELF INTO AN
ALCOVE AS TWO
MARINES RUN BY.

HE WATCHES THEM
GO.

SOLOW SMILES, LEAVES
HER HIDING PLACE
AND WALKS DIRECTLY
INTO THE MYRKA,

SOLOW TRIES TO STAND
HER GROUND, AND AIMS
A LOW KICK AT THE
MYRKA. IT IS NO
USE, SHE IS ELECTROCUTED
BY THE MYRKA AND DIES
WITH A LOUD CRY. AS SHE FALLS
THE DISC FALLS OUT OF HER POCKET.

THE MYRKA PASSES
ON.

HOLD, A BEAT
AND TWO MORE
COMBAT MARINES COME
INTO VIEW AND CROSS
TO SOLOW'S BODY.
ONE BENDS TO CHECK
HER. THEN SPOTS THE
DISC, WHICH HE LIFTS.

HE READS THE
IDENTIFICATION TAG
AND REACTS)

MARINE GUARD PAROLI: Forty three Y ?

27. INT. SEA BASE. AIR LOCK FIVE.

(THE TWO SEA DEVIL WARRIORS USING THE BULBOUS NOSED INSTRUMENTS TO ATTACK THE LAST SECTION OF THE BULKHEAD SEALS.

SAUVIX AND THE OTHER WARRIORS WATCHING.

A MOVEMENT BY THE AIRLOCK AND THE WARRIORS PART TO ADMIT ICTHAR AND THE TWO COMPANIONS.

FIRST COMPANION CARRYING THE BOXED MANIPULATOR)

ICTHAR: (TO SAUVIX) How fares the course of battle ?

SAUVIX: The outcome is certain. The ape primitives are no match for my warriors. They will be crushed.

28. INT. SEA BASE FOUR. CORRIDOR.

(THE DOCTOR FIDDLING WITH THE CONTROL OF THE CONVERTOR.

TEGAN AND PRESTON WAITING NEARBY.

VORSHAK COMES INTO VIEW)

VORSHAK: (TO THE DOCTOR) You have everything you need?

THE DOCTOR: Yes, I think so.

(THE FIRST TWO MARINES ARRIVE)

TEGAN: What's happened ~~to~~ Turlough ?

VORSHAK: He's defending Airlock Five with Bulic. Doctor, I've decided to take your advice, I'm contacting Sea Base command.

THE DOCTOR: Very wise.

(SUDDEN SOUND OF FOOTSTEPS AND THE TWO COMBAT MARINES WHO FOUND SOLOW'S BODY RUN INTO VIEW)

FIRST COMBAT MARINE: The Myrka is coming ~~this way~~, , Sir. It killed Doctor Solow ... we found this by his body.

(HANDS VORSHAK
THE TAPE.

VORSHAK READS
THE IDENTIFICATION
TAG AND REACTS
STRONGLY)

THE DOCTOR: Something wrong.

VORSHAK: I pray not Doctor. Get down to Airlock Five, Preston come with me.

(ABOUT TO MOVE OFF
WHEN COMMUNICATOR
BLEEPS.

HE TAKES IT OUT)

BULIC'S VOICE: Vorshak, they're in, Sir! The Sea Devils are everywhere.

VORSHAK: You must hold them!

29. INT. SEA BASE FOUR. AIRLOCK FIVE. CORRIDOR.

(THE BULKHEAD DOOR
IS WIDE OPEN.

THE SEA DEVILS
POUR IN.

BULIC'S MEN
FALLING BACK.

TURLOUGH BESIDE
HIM)

BULIC: We'll try, Commander ...

VORSHAK'S VOICE: Do what you can.

BULIC: (SHOUTS TO MARINES)
Back ... move back!

(HE AND TURLOUGH
FIRE AND RETREAT)

30. INT. SEA BASE FOUR. COMPUTER BANK BAY.

(MADDOX, SWEATING
PROFUSELY AND
GASPING FOR BREATH,
WORKS ON, CIRCUITRY
SPILLING OUT OF THE
COMPUTER BANKS.

NILSON WATCHES.
HE RAISES THE BLEEPER
AND ADVANCES THE
FREQUENCY.

MADDOX MOANS AND
NEARLY COLLAPSES,
BUT HIS HANDS BEGIN
TO MOVE FASTER)

NILSON: Do not die on me, Maddox. Not yet. Not till you have served your purpose. Now - hurry!

31. INT. SEA BASE FOUR. CORRIDOR. INTERSECTION.

(SAUVIX AND SOME WARRIORS MEET UP WITH ICTHAR AND THE TWO COMPANIONS

ICTHAR: Are the ape primitives in full retreat ? Do we control strategic areas ?

SAUVIX: Yes, Icthar.

ICTHAR: Excellent. We expect the Myrka to take the bridge shortly.

SAUVIX: Then the outcome is certain.

(THEY MOVE OFF)

DOWN THE CORRIDOR, CARRYING THE BOXED MANIPULATOR)

32. INT. SEA BASE FOUR. BRIDGE COMPLEX.

(VORSHAK ENTERS AND CROSSES TO NILSON.

HE LOOKS AT HIM AND TOSSES THE DISC DOWN IN FRONT OF HIM.

NILSON LOOKS AT IT, THEN AT VORSHAK, HIS FACE FEIGNING ASTONISHMENT)

NILSON: Yes ?

VORSHAK: Maddox's conditioning disc. You were ordered to return it to me.

NILSON: Solow was in charge of that disc. I assumed she had.

VORSHAK: (LOOKING AROUND) ... Where's Maddox?

NILSON: (HESITATES) Inside, checking the synch circuitry.

VORSHAK: (TO PRESTON) Get him in here!

(PRESTON NODS AND MOVES TO OPEN THE DOOR TO THE COMPUTER BANK BAY.

NILSON TENSE AND WATCHFUL.

SHE REACTS STRONGLY)

PRESTON: (URGENT) Commander!

(VORSHAK MOVES OVER
TO JOIN HER.

THEIR P.O.V.
INSIDE MADDOX SWEATING
AND TREMBLING
AT WORK ON THE
CIRCUITRY)

VORSHAK: Maddox!

(NO RESPONSE
FROM MADDOX.

VORSHAK RUSHES
INTO:)

33. INT. SEA BASE FOUR. COMPUTER BANK BAY.

(VORSHAK MOVES IN
TO GRAB MADDOX)

VORSHAK: What are you doing?

(MADDOX MOANS AND
SMASHES HIM AWAY
WITH SUPERHUMAN
STRENGTH.

MADDOX SETS TO
WORK AGAIN WITH
ZOMBIE SINGLE-
MINDEDNESS.

VORSHAK COMES BACK
AT HIM, THEY GRAPPLE
AND AGAIN VORSHAK
IS HURLED ASIDE)

34. INT. SEA BASE FOUR. BRIDGE COMPLEX.

(NILSON HEARS THE
SOUNDS OF STRUGGLE
INSIDE.

HE TAKES OUT THE
BLEEPER AND SWITCHES
IT OFF)

35. INT. SEA BASE FOUR. COMPUTER BANK BAY.

(VORSHAK ON THE
GROUND IS ABOUT
TO RISE AND TACKLE
MADDOX.

THEN MADDOX STIFFENS,
SWAYS, HIS HANDS
TO HIS HEAD, AND
HE TOPPLES OVER,
UNCONSCIOUS.

VORSHAK AND PRESTON
MOVE FORWARD TO
STARE DOWN AT HIM,
PRESTON BENDS AND
FEELS HIS PULSE)

PRESTON: He's alive!

VORSHAK: Check the damage
to the computer.

36. INT. SEA BASE FOUR. CORRIDOR.

(THE DOCTOR, TEGAN
NEARBY.

SOUNDS OF THE
MYRKA AT THE END
OF THE CORRIDOR)

THE DOCTOR: Here it comes.

(THE MYRKA APPEARS
SEES THE DOCTOR
AND PAUSES,
RECOGNISING HIM.

IT GROWLS AND
BEGINS TO ADVANCE)

Now we'll see if my theory
is right.

(THE DOCTOR'S HAND
GOES TO THE SWITCH
ON THE CONVERTOR)

TEGAN: (URGENT) Switch it
on.

No, no ...
THE DOCTOR: Just a few more
feet ...

(THE MYRKA GATHERS
ITSELF AND SUDDENLY
LUNGES FORWARD,
ARM UPRAISED, TO
SWIPE THE DOCTOR.

THE DOCTOR HITS THE
SWITCH AND THE ULTRA
VIOLET BEAMS TRANSFIX
THE MYRKA FROM ALL ANGLES.
THEY SHIELD THEIR EYES.

THE MYRKA JERKS TO A STOP. A BUBBLING MOAN IS HEARD, GASEOUS STEAM ISSUES FROM ITS BODY AND TOPPLES OVER.

THE DOCTOR AND TEGAN MOVE FORWARD TO STARE DOWN AT IT)

TEGAN: Is it dead?

THE DOCTOR: Very. Let's get back to the Bridge.

37. INT. SEA BASE FOUR.CORRIDOR.

(ICTHAR, SAUVIX AND
THE TWO COMPANIONS.

SECOND COMPANION
REACTS TO A WHINE
FROM AN INSTRUMENT
ON HIS BELT.
THEY PAUSE.

HE TAKES IT OUT,
PRESSES A SWITCH
AND THE WHINE CUTS.
HE LOOKS AT ICTHAR)

SECOND COMPANION: The Myrka has been destroyed.

ICTHAR: The ape primitives have more cunning than we thought. Sauvix, divert your warriors. We must capture the bridge without delay.

SAUVIX: At once Icthar.

(SAUVIX NODS AND
MOVES OFF)

38. INT. SEA BASE FOUR.COMPUTER BANK.DAY.

(VORSHAK AND NILSON
LOOK DOWN AT THE
UNCONCIOUS FIGURE
OF MADDOX AND THEN
AT THE DAMAGE TO
THE COMPUTER)

VORSHAK: (FURIOUS TO NILSON) You were in charge of the bridge. How could you not know what was going on here?

PRESTON: (O.O.V) Commander!

(PRESTON EMERGES
FROM A RECESS)

PRESTON: Karina is dead ... She's been murdered.

(VORSHAK'S FACE
HARDENS.

HE TURNS TO NILSON)

VORSHAK: You'll answer to a court martial for this, I promise. But first you'll revive Maddox and de-condition him. I want him ready for synch up. We must signal Sea Base Command.

I'm afraid
NILSON: We can't do that commander.

VORSHAK: You'll do it ...

(HE PAUSES.

NILSON HAS A
WEAPON LEVELLED
AT HIM)

NILSON: Your weapons please.

39. INT. SEA BASE FOUR. CORRIDOR.

(THE DOCTOR AND TEGAN MOVING AWAY FROM THE CORRIDOR)

TEGAN: What do the Silurians want, Doctor ?

THE DOCTOR: Obvious-control the base and the proton missiles ...

TEGAN: ... And you control Earth.

THE DOCTOR: Or destroy it.

40. INT. SEA BASE FOUR. BRIDGE COMPLEX.

(VORSHAK AND PRESTON MOVING OUT OF THE COMPUTER BANK BAY COVERED BY NILSON. HE CLOSES THE DOOR)

VORSHAK: I trusted you, Nilson.

NILSON: Don't take it too hard, commander. Like you, we were only doing our duty.

(THE DOCTOR AND TEGAN ENTER)

THE DOCTOR: The Myrka is dead, commander ...

(NILSON HAS LEVELLED THE WEAPON AT HIM)

NILSON: Over there Doctor. (To [illegible] You be

(THE DOCTOR LOOKS AT VORSHAK)

VORSHAK: (BITTER) It seems Nilson is an enemy agent.

TEGAN: For the Silurians?

VORSHAK: No. Our human enemies.

NILSON: The power block opposed to this base.

THE DOCTOR: There isn't time for your petty feuds.

NILSON: (SMILE) I know what I'm doing Doctor.

VORSHAK: Do you! Before long the Silurians and Sea Devils will have control of this base.

THE DOCTOR: Control of the proton missiles.

NILSON: Missiles they can't fire. Maddox has irreversibly rigged the computer to that effect.

THE DOCTOR: The technology of these creatures predates yours by millions of years. If they intend to fire those missiles, they have the means, I assure you.

NILSON: They won't have time. As soon as I've left in the escape pod, the base will be attacked. Everything on it, including the creatures, and all of you will perish.

(THE DOOR TO THE COMPUTER BANK BAY BURSTS OPEN AND MADDOX APPEARS, SICK, SWAYING, A WEAPON IN HIS HAND)

MADDOX: (WILD) Nilson! Murdering traitor ... made me kill Karina., now You're going to die.

(NILSON HAS BROUGHT OUT HIS BLEEPER.

MADDOX RAISES HIS
WEAPON, NILSON
SWITCHES IT ON.

MADDOX FREEZES,
TRYING TO FORCE
HIMSELF TO AIM
THE WEAPON)

NILSON: I'm sorry Maddox ...

(MADDOX MOANS AND
MAKES A
SUPERHUMAN EFFORT
TO RESIST THE
MIND CONTROL AND
FIRE.

THE DOCTOR EDGES
CLOSER TO NILSON)

But your usefulness is at an end.

(MADDOX MAKES A
LAST EFFORT TO
FIRE. AS HE DOES
NILSON TRIPS
THE FREQUENCY
TO FULL PITCH.
MADDOX' FACE
CONTORTS AND
HE FALLS.

PRESTON GOES TO
HIM)

Leave him!

(PRESTON PAUSES)

He's dead. (cont ...)

(THE DOCTOR HURLS
HIMSELF AT NILSON.

NILSON BRINGS UP
THE BLEEPER AND
CATCHES HIM A
BLOW TO THE SIDE
OF THE FACE.

BEFORE THE DOCTOR CAN RECOVER, NILSON HAS MOVED TO GRAB TEGAN AND USE HER AS A SHIELD. HE PRESSES THE WEAPON TO HER HEAD)

(HE STARTS TO BACK OUT.

NILSON: Any of you try to follow me, she dies.

(HE MOVES OUT WITH TEGAN)

41. INT. SEA BASE FOUR. CORRIDOR.

(TURLOUGH, BULIC AND COMBAT GUARD PURSUED. THEY RUN UP TO A DOOR AND BURST THROUGH, THEN PAUSE. COVERING THEM ARE SAUVIX AND THREE WARRIORS.

COMBAT MARINE GOES TO FIRE BUT IS STRUCK DOWN BY A BLAST FROM A SEA DEVIL WEAPON.

TURLOUGH AND BULIC RELAX.

SAUVIX STARES AT THEM MENACINGLY)

SAUVIX: Your turn.

42. INT. SEA BASE FOUR. BRIDGE. COMPLEX.

(THE DOCTOR,
VORSHAK AND
PRESTON EXAMINE
THE CONSOLE)

PRESTON: The computer

(THE DOCTOR MOVES
TO PICK UP
MADDOX' WEAPON)

(BLEEP FROM THE
CONSOLE. VORSHAK
OPERATES A SWITCH)

VORSHAK: Vorshak.

COMBAT MARINE'S VOICE: There's not much more we can do, sir. The Sea Devils have just breached the bridge perimeter.

VORSHAK: Where are Bulic and Turlough?

COMBAT MARINE'S VOICE: Dead ... or taken, commander.

(SOUND OF FIRING.

THE LINE GOES
DEAD.

VORSHAK TURNS TO
LOOK AT THE DOCTOR)

VORSHAK: I'm sorry.

THE DOCTOR: Im going after Nilson.

43. INT. SEA BASE FOUR. CORRIDOR.

(ICTHAR AND THE
TWO COMPANIONS
PLUS AN ESCORT
OF SEA DEVILS
MEET UP WITH
SAUVIX AND
SOME WARRIORS)

SAUVIX: The way to the bridge is cleared.

44. INT. SEA BASE FOUR DETENTION AREA

(TURLOUGH AND
BULIC PRISONERS
INSIDE THE DETENTION
AREA.

TURLOUGH IS BY THE
DOOR, HE TURNS
AND SIGHS)

45. INT. SEA BASE FOUR. CORRIDOR.

(TWO SEA DEVILS PACING
PAST THE DETENTION
AREA DOOR.

AS THE PASS, WE SEE
TURLOUGH'S FACE
WATCHING THEM THROUGH
A SMALL GAP)

46. INT. SEA BASE FOUR. DETENTION AREA

(TURLOUGH TURNS AWAYFROM WATCHING THROUGH THE GAP IN THE DOOR.

HE MOVES ACROSS TO WHERE BULIC IS SITTING.

TURLOUGH: We've got to get out of here.

BULIC: To go where ? The Sea Devils are all over the place.

TURLOUGH: The Tardis. At least we'd be safe there.

47. INT. SEA BASE. CORRIDOR.

(THE DOCTOR RUNS
ALONG THE
CORRIDOR)

45. INT. SEA BASE FOUR. CORRIDOR.

(TEGAN AND NILSON EMERGE INTO THE CORRIDOR WHERE THE BODY OF THE MYRKA LIES. TEGAN IS STRUGGLING, IMPEDING THEIR PROGRESS)

Be
NILSON: Still woman!

(SHE OBEYS.

NILSON PAUSES TO LOOK DOWN AT THE MYRKA)

A pity all the Doctor's efforts were to no avail.

TEGAN: You haven't got away yet.

(NILSON GRINS AND GOES TO PUSH HER FORWARD.

TEGAN SUDDENLY GRABS HIS ARM AND PULLS HIM OFF BALANCE.

NILSON LUNGES FORWARD.

TEGAN SIDESTEPS AND TRIPS HIM UP.

THE DOCTOR EMERGES INTO THE CORRIDOR AND SEES WHAT IS HAPPENING.

HE MOVES FORWARD UNTIL HE IS LEVEL WITH THE ULTRA VIOLET CONVERTOR.

FROM HIS POSITION ON THE FLOOR, NILSON LEVELS HIS GUN AT THE DOCTOR)

NILSON: Stay where you are !

(THE DOCTOR HALTS)

NILSON: You were very foolish to follow me, Doctor. Stay where you are.

(THE DOCTOR TOSSES THE WEAPON AWAY)

THE DOCTOR: Let Tegan go. She's of no use to you now.

(NILSON CLIMBS TO HIS FEET.

THE DOCTOR INCHES CLOSER TO THE ULTRA VIOLET CONVERTOR)

Killing us won't make your escape, any easier. You fire and every Sea Devil in the area will come running.

NILSON: I'll take that risk.

THE DOCTOR: Tegan ! Make a wish.

(NILSON RAISES THE WEAPON TO FIRE)

NILSON: Goodbye Doctor.

THE DOCTOR: Goodby.
(THE DOCTOR SUDDENLY DIVES AND TRIPS THE SWITCH ON THE CONVERTOR. THE AREA OF THE CORRIDOR WHERE THEY ARE FILLS WITH BLINDING LIGHT.

NILSON REELS, HIS EYEBALLS SEERED.

THE DOCTOR JUMPS UP, GRABS TEGAN.

BLINDED, NILSON FIRES, MISSING THEM.

SEA WARRIORS ENTER THE CORRIDORS AND SHOOT NILSON DOWN. THEY THEN TURN TOWARDS THE DOCTOR)

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   JANET FIELDING

3. Turlough
   MARK STRICKSON

4. Vorshak
   TOM ADAMS
   Solow
   INGRID PITT

5. Nilson
   IAN McCULLOCH
   Maddox
   MARTIN NEIL

6. Bulic
   NIGEL HUMPHREYS
   Preston
   TARA WARD

7. Icthar
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